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A Chicago woman refused to speak for nearly fifty years. It must have been a case of lingual paralysis.

Locally speaking, the political field is as smooth as placid waters. The "boys" are, however, expecting a squall. They may get a tornado.

Philadelphia reports an increase of \$12,000,000 in her foreign trade for the first seven months of 1897, and the Dingley tariff had nothing to do with it.

Let us make a rush for the Government armor-plate plant. It would be just like Roanoke to capture the plant if her people go at it with their usual vim.

As a compromise between the free-grubbers and the anti-free-grubbers in the City Council, The Times respectfully suggests to the city engineer that he trade his horse for a bicycle.

The New York World claims that the increase in the price of wheat and corn over last year is worth \$275,000,000 to the people of the United States. This is quite a nice sum for prosperity to begin with.

The Richmond Times wants a law enacted authorizing every cross roads bank in the country to issue money based on its boom (or bum) securities, but shudders at the idea of having the national Government issue money based on its revenues and general credit. The Times is a good organ and is excusable for its vagaries.

## A HIGHER EDUCATION.

To-day the anticipations of thousands of boys and girls are busy with the coming year at college. It is to the credit of American parents that an important number of them have never allowed their children to entertain any other idea than that of rounding out their preparation for business or social life by a course at the university. This is a land where education is more than fashion; it is a conviction.

The public school is everywhere, the high school is in every city and colleges and universities are plenty. Education is popular enough. Even in summer we retire to the groves and lakes, not to fish and play, but to take studies at the summer assembly. And yet, after all, there is quite a remnant of the people who need to be reminded of the necessity of a college career.

It is not the well-to-do, for to them fashion has decreed that their children be college-bred and it is unnecessary for the minister to add his voice. But many parents struggling with poverty underrate the value, misapprehend the full purpose, and magnify the difficulties of such an education.

The hard-working father is apt to forget that times have changed since he was young, and that now-a-days the best of mental training is within the reach of all, the greatest schools are open to the poorest aspirant for wisdom, and that wealth and philanthropy have combined to smooth the pathway up Parnassus' hill. Changing times, too, have emphasized the need for schooling; "if an education was once the rich man's luxury it is now the poor man's necessity."

The increasing use of machinery is every year making the lines harder for the common laborer. The man who has nothing but his naked two hands to offer the world has good reason to fear that in a short time he will be crowded off the earth. There may be a glut of labor in

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the market, but there never was a greater demand for brains, technical skill and training.

This is as it should be. As the world grows, the body, the animal part of us, becomes less and less of import, while the brain, the human part, and the moral faculties, the divine part, find larger play. Whoever neglects to educate himself in youth is committing an unpardonable sin against his old age and against his children.

## HE WANTS A TICKET.

To the Editor of The Times—Though I am aware that your paper is Democratic, yet I am glad to know that you are independent enough to open your columns to "all the people." Recognizing your liberality and appreciating the good you have done toward the purity of the ballot and breaking up machine politics, I beg the publication of the opinions of the mass of Republicans, who have always been Republican from principle only. From personal observations and conversations with a great many of this city, county and the counties adjoining Roanoke, the action of the Lynchburg conference has been condemned in the strongest of language. I have yet to find the first man in this section who approves of their action. They all recognize it as the predominance of a few office-seekers and spoils-givers over the will of the people. The Yankee Allen-Bowden-Treat faction have always given us trouble. No one but a Mahone could manage them. How many of that faction have bolted the nominee of their party? They have never accomplished anything for their party but dissatisfaction—the decreased Republican vote in their districts show what they have done. Walker and Yost are men elected by the people and they recognize the wisdom of our State chairman. Lamb was the chosen leader of the people assembled in an enthusiastic convention at Staunton last year. And he is a leader without fear, favor or affection of any individual. A man who has always been a gentleman in every walk of life and whose honesty has never been impeached. True, Col. Lamb was a Reed man, but no one worked more faithfully for the election of McKinley after he was nominated than our State chairman. We recognize him still as our chairman, and the convention which he will call will continue him as our leader. The masses of Republicans in this section demand a State convention. We are entitled to recognition, for this section, Southwest Virginia, is far ahead of any section in the State in wealth, in industries, in thrift. A section where the whites are largely in majority and where the Republicans in all national elections float a victorious banner. Give us a State ticket. We want to continue the fight, for the battles of the past reveal an increasing Republican tide. Let the young blood of the party have something to fight with, and with anything like a fair vote and honest count we will land Gen. Walker in the chair now occupied by Gov. O'Ferrall.

## "HONEST POLITICS."

Roanoke, Va., Aug. 29, '97.

## REPUBLICAN CONVENTION.

Letter From Colonel Lamb to a Lynchburg Republican.

Lynchburg, Aug. 28.—A prominent Republican received the following letter from Colonel William Lamb yesterday: "It will never do to allow the Republican party to be destroyed by office seekers who have taken possession of it. A convention will be called next month, probably to meet in Lynchburg, and I hope a good delegation will be selected from your city. Keep up the agitation against the usurpers."

## "WILLIAM LAMB,"

"Chairman."

## RELIC OF DANIEL BOONE.

Bristol, Tenn., Aug. 28.—A relic of Daniel Boone was discovered about ten miles from the tree on which he carved "D. Boone killed a bear, 1760," in the shape of a brass kettle. Just under the rim was found scratched in the metal and still legible, "D. Boone, 1760." The relic was unearthed on the farm of Benjamin Webb.

## MURDERER RECAPTURED.

Welch, W. Va., Aug. 28.—Seymour Gray, the condemned murderer, who broke jail here Wednesday night, was captured by Detective May at Norfolk this morning. He is to be hanged here September 2.

## OGDEN GOELET DEAD.

Cowes, Isle of Wight, Aug. 28.—Mr. Ogden Goelet, the multi-millionaire of New York, is dead. He expired on board his yacht, the Mayflower. The deceased has been ill for about two months past.

## MR. HUSSEY DEAD.

New York, Aug. 28.—Thomas Hussey, the aged citizen of Montgomery, Ala., who was arrested last week in a dazed condition with \$10,000 in money and securities in his pockets, died at the home of his nephew, in Brooklyn, to-day. He was more than 80 years old.

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## Society.

In response to our earnest appeal the good people of Roanoke have come nobly to the front. The last week, which, according to custom, should have been one of absolute repose, was full of events. It has been impossible for us to get them all, but that does not matter. They happened and our reproach has been removed. We trust that our hopes for renewed and continued social activity will find glorious fulfillment. It costs little to entertain in a small way and such entertainments are always more pleasant. Now that the weather is warm and the flower pots are out of doors, the stoves out of the way and windows are not apt to get broken, a little dance finished off with a watermelon or two is no trouble at all beyond the disposal of the rinds and cigarette stumps. There is talk of a phantom party to be gotten up by the ladies in the near future. Phantom talk is cheap, but at this particular time we think that it means something. We are waiting for the word to "get your partners."

The expedition to Mill Mountain on Monday evening was given up because of the bad condition of the road and Crystal Spring was selected instead, but that also had to fall through on account of the rain. The young people, however, spent the evening very pleasantly at the home of Mr. J. C. Rawn. The party was made up of Miss Davant, Miss Trezevant, Miss Hippey, Miss Jessie Hippey, Miss Clarke, Miss Wray, Miss Belle Kilby, Miss Miller, Miss Johnston, Miss Budwell, Miss Royer, and Messrs. Marston, Miller, Frank Lee, Jack Lee, Hippey, Wood, Ott, Norvell, Hawkins and Wingfield.

The only thing that stands in the way of a proterubance upon the smooth surface of history as having occurred on Tuesday evening was a most ingenious and decidedly successful "Calithump" given to Mr. and Mrs. Thomas W. Goodwin, the occasion being their removal to their new home on South Henry street. Everything usual to such affairs and a good many others besides were present. The principal instrument of torture was a gigantic horse fiddle made of a dry goods box and a long beam. The program was conscientiously rendered. Encores were not requested and there were no flowers.

The german at the hotel on Wednesday evening was a very pleasant one in spite of the hot weather. The german at Hotel Roanoke are especially pretty at all times on account of the surroundings. There are few places better situated for such things and above all it is private. The german was led by Dayton Miller. It began early, which is a move in the right direction. The music was exceptionally good. Those dancing were Miss Miller with Mr. Miller, Miss Wray with Mr. Figgatt, Miss Alfriend with Mr. Wood, Miss Palmer with Mr. Reid, Miss Cooke with Mr. Lee, Miss Stacy with Mr. Hawkins, Miss Budwell with Mr. Horner, Miss Means with Mr. Hall, Miss Marshall with Mr. Wingfield, Miss Hobart with Mr. Jameson, Miss Massie with Mr. Penn, Miss Johnson with Mr. Handy, Miss Reed with Mr. Hippey, Miss Dorney with Mr. W. Davis, Miss Edmunds with Mr. Fishburn, Miss Hilleary with Mr. Nichols, Miss E. Edmunds with Mr. Williams, Miss J. Marshall with Mr. F. Hippey, Miss Koehler with Dr. Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. Sanderson, Mr. and Mrs. Glasgow, Mr. and Mrs. Yeatman, Mrs. Jos. W. Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Carey and Messrs. Marston, Peckhard and Wellford. The street car idea is a good one and should be kept up all winter. There are few people for whom it would be inconvenient unless the weather is bad.

The only card party of the season and a very delightful one was given on Wednesday evening by Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Koehler to Miss Floy Koehler, of Hagerstown. The game was whist and the prizes were won by Miss Dorney and Mr. Pike Meade. The booby prizes were taken by Mrs. Ludwig and Mr. Prichard. Music and dancing completed the evening. The guests were Miss Kilby, Miss Belle Kilby, Miss Hebert, Miss Marshall, Mrs. Ludwig, Miss Ludwig, Miss Allene Johnston, Miss Mammie Johnston, Miss Cooke, Miss Budwell, Miss Evelyn Edmunds, Miss Dorney, Miss Reed, Miss Rogers, Miss Jennie Rogers, Miss Leary, Miss Massie, Miss Hilleary and Messrs. Wingfield, Penn, Edward Lyle, Dr. Simmons, Dr. Lewis, Philip Meade, Pike Meade, Wood, Hawkins, Prichard, Reid, Williams, Miller and Coleman. There were ten tables. Miss Koehler is a sister of Mr. Koehler. With her mother she has been spending the summer in Roanoke.

Mr. Branch Masterson, of Texas, gave a champagne supper at Blue Ridge in the early part of the week to Miss Denham, of Florida. It was a very pleasant little affair. Covers were laid for fourteen.

The announcement that there will be no night performance of the circus on Monday has disconcerted the plans of quite a large party of young people who intended going. There are few things out of which more solid, old-timey fun can be gotten than a circus and a congenial crowd at night. And there is to be an elephant.

The spirit of unrest must have entered into the young people summering at Hollins, if the walking party that found its way into Roanoke is to be taken for granted. It must take a tremendous amount of energy in weather like this.

The public will be glad to know that the directors of the Choral Society announce the society's first rehearsal of the season for Thursday evening next at Hobbie's rooms. Rehearsals will be held each Thursday evening during the entire season. The first concert will be given on November 18th. It will be under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. star course. Everyone remembers with pleasure the very creditable entertainment given by the club last season. Signor Giovanni, the tenor, who was so enthusiastically received here last spring, and a contralto opera singer have been engaged. To those who would like to join the society it would be well to say that it is desired to increase the number of voices to about forty. Applications should be made to Mr. Herbert Scatchard at once.

The Dramatic Association of Nelson street and vicinity gave a first-rate minstrel show last night to a large and appreciative number of people whose patronage was more in evidence than their presence. The show was given on the



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porch of Mr. Joseph W. Cox instead of in Mr. J. M. Barr's barn, as expected. Although limited as to room, the scope of the performers was not at all cramped. Mr. Walker Dunlap's great jumping feat (No. 10's) was one of the hits. The cast is made up of Messrs. Bransford, Cox, Hugh Watts, Hobart and the Messrs. Dunlap, all juniors. The programme could not be obtained, which is a matter of regret. We trust that on another occasion our attention will be engaged earlier.

It has been suggested that on Thanksgiving the people on Roanoke come out of their comatose state and interest themselves in a ball that will show to the outside world that what we have done we can do again. There is no reason why this cannot be done. A scheme has been set forth providing for everything, including what appears to be a glorious place to give the entertainment. These things are given in other towns and can be done here. It will be looked into at all events and in all probability will be heard from again. We shall certainly lend all the aid that the press can provide.

## SALEM

EDWARD JETER, REPORTER.

Round trip electric cars, Salem to Roanoke, Monday, August 30th, 25c. Wallace's Show.

Geo. Owens and wife, who have for the past seven years lived in Indiana, have returned from the mighty West and will in future make old Virginia their home. Mr. Owens is a son of James Owens, of Back Creek, and has been engaged in the mining business. He says that Indiana is no longer the place for a workman and spells it with an N. G. He will locate near his father on Back Creek, where the climate is salubrious, the water as pure as that which flowed from the Castilian fountain, and where the yellow tinted pippin grows in profusion and brings on the trees three dollars per bushel.

John Turner and wife, of Roanoke, were in the city yesterday.

There will be regular services to-day at the churches by the pastors, with the following exceptions—Mr. Gaines, of Richmond College, will talk at the Baptist Church at 11 a. m. At the morning hour Rev. Geo. Gordon Smead will preach at the Episcopal Church.

Col. Geo. Cabell, of Danville, before leaving Friday for his home, purchased a fine bay horse from Capt. J. C. Langhorne, also the handsome sorrel belonging to Jacob Baer. Col. Cabell is evidently a good judge of horse flesh.

Miss Fannie Berkley, who came to Salem to act as maid of honor at the recent Terry-Johnston nuptials, left yesterday for her home in Farmville, where she will spend the remainder of her vacation before beginning the arduous duties of school work the coming fall in the Salem Graded School.

L. E. Ballard, of Baltimore, who has been on a visit to the family of his brother, Major W. W. Ballard, left yesterday for Cape Charles, where he will remain a short time before returning to the city.

Dr. James B. Taylor, who has been attending the Charlottesville Shenandoah Association, returned yesterday.

Lieutenant T. D. Griffin and wife left yesterday for Rockingham county, accompanied by Miss Clayton, the bride's sister, where they will remain until about the first of September, after which they will return to Washington city.

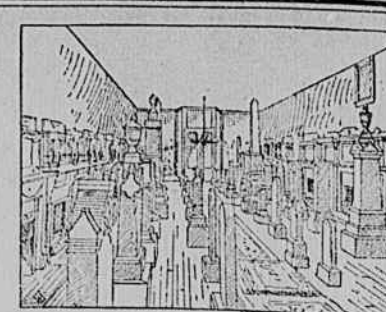
William Baer, who has been living in Kentucky, is visiting friends in the city.

Mrs. C. A. Smith, of High street, has gone on a visit to Bedford county.

Edward Maurer, of this place, has gone to the Craig Healing Springs for rest and recuperation.

Evangelist C. B. Strouse and wife returned yesterday from Mountain Lake Park, Md. Mr. Strouse seems much improved and invigorated by his outing. Basil Ridgeway was on Friday taken from the county jail to Cave Spring, where he was given a preliminary hearing before Justices Richardson, Haley and Leslie for the attempted murder of James Smithers. A crowd of fifty or more gathered to hear the testimony and considerable interest was manifested. Ridgeway was sent on to the grand jury for indictment. In the meanwhile it is said that the wounded man now has excellent chances for recovery.

The board of supervisors went out yesterday in a body to examine the poor farm on Cave road. It will be remembered that this property is to be sold and



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Two lots on Eleventh street car line n. w., 50x130 feet, \$150 each.  
 Two lots on Dale avenue s. e., 40x130 feet, \$100, \$5 cash \$5 per month.  
 A bargain in a lot on Tazewell avenue.  
 House on Centre avenue n. w., well located, 9 rooms, big lot, good stable, only \$1,000.

One of the coziest cottages in the city can be found in East Roanoke, which we are offering at \$600. Very easy terms. A large variety of choice fruit, good stable on lot, just what you want.

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another farm purchased. Instead of an expense to the county it is proposed to make the new purchase self-sustaining. The present poor house system has long been inadequate to the needs of so large a county as Roanoke, and it is to the credit of the present board that they will institute new measures and more commodious quarters for the poor of the county. When the new hotel for the indigent opens there will doubtless be a goodly number of arrivals on the register.

## CASTORIA.

The fact is, it is an easy wrapper.

HOMICIDE AT MAX MEADOWS.  
 Bristol, Tenn., Aug. 29.—R. D. Hindson was shot three times and fatally wounded at Max Meadows, Va., last night by William Cloud. Hindson charged that his wife had been insulted by Cloud, who is also married. The two men met in the road and the shooting followed. In an effort to escape Cloud fired three shots at his victim's brother. Cloud was brought here to-day for safe keeping, a lynching being feared.

## STUBBS FOR THE HOUSE.

Richmond, Aug. 28.—Hon. J. N. Scubbs, who was defeated for the senatorial nomination in his district, was last night nominated for the house of delegates by the Democrats of Matthews and Gloucester counties.

## STANDS AT THE HEAD.

Aug. J. Bogel, the leading druggist of Shreveport, La., says: "Dr. King's New Discovery is the only thing that cures my cough, and it is the best seller I have." J. P. Campbell, merchant of Stafford, Ariz., writes: "Dr. King's New Discovery is all that is claimed for it; it never fails, and is a sure cure for consumption, Coughs, Colds. I cannot say enough for its merits." Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds is not an experiment. It has been tried for a century, and to-day stands at the head. It never disappoints. Free trial bottles at Massie's Pharmacy, 109 Jefferson street.

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KILLED HIS WIFE. A Horrible Tragedy in Winston, North Carolina.

Winston, N. C., Aug. 28.—A horrible murder was committed here last night at 8 o'clock, but full particulars cannot yet be ascertained. It is only known that Wilkes Jones, a colored shoemaker, cut his wife's throat from ear to ear, causing almost instant death. Immediately after the killing Jones shot and wounded another woman named Anna Williams, the ball taking effect in the lower jaw. Jones has for years been a leader in political circles in this county. His wife was a sister of S. H. Vick, ex-postmaster of this place. Up to a late hour Jones had not been arrested. Great excitement prevails in the negro quarter of the town, and there is a chance that Vick's friends may attempt to lynch Jones if he is caught.

## "GORMAN'S STRADDLE."

Hagerstown Democrats Repudiate the Maryland State Platform.

Hagerstown, Md., Aug. 28. The West End Democratic Club, a prominent political organization in Hagerstown, last night repudiated the recent platform adopted by the Democratic State Convention, known as the Gorman straddle. The club, after a heated discussion, endorsed the Chicago platform as best suiting their views on the money question. A committee was appointed to arrange for a big mass-meeting, to be held here in the Academy of Music, at which prominent speakers will make addresses.

## ELECTRIC BITTERS.

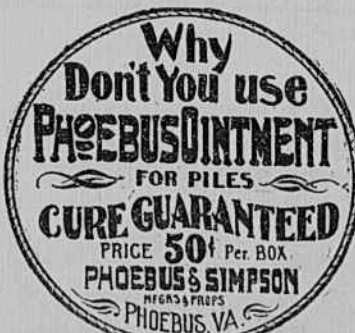
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## PROPOSALS.

Sealed bids marked "Proposals for furnishing sewer pipe" and addressed to W. E. Thomas, clerk of the City Council of the city of Roanoke, will be received until noon, September 20, 1897, for furnishing and delivering f. o. b. cars at Roanoke 1,050 linear feet of 24 inch drain pipe, and 200 linear feet of 15 inch standard terra cotta sewer pipe. The right to reject any and all bids is reserved.

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